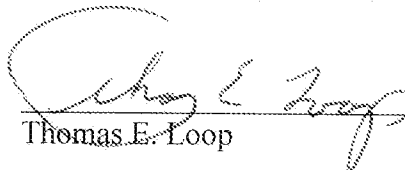


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AMENDMENT

Applicant herewith petitions the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to extend the time for reply to the Office Action dated May 2, 2006 for three months to November 2, 2006. Please charge my deposit account number 503382 to cover the cost of the extension. In response to the Office Action of May 2, 2006, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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